

**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
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First Inventor or Application Identifier Bruce G. Kania
Title GEL AND CUSHIONING DEVICES

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification Total Pages **47**
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets **11**
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a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with box 15 completed)
i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named
in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(2) and
1.33(b).
5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (usable if box 4B is checked)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

6. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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12. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s) ☒ Statement filed in prior application. Status still proper and desired.
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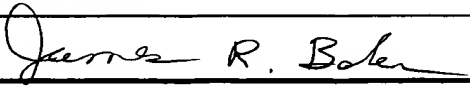
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- ☐ This application claims priority of provisional application Serial No. Filed

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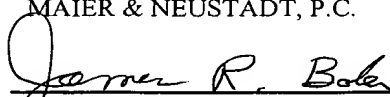
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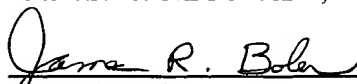
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